



MICHIGAN
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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

February 4, 2016

9:00 a.m.

Room 521 House Office Building

Chair Price called the meeting to order.

Present were: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, Lyons, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Absent and excused: None.

Rep. Garcia moved to approve the minutes of the meeting held January 28, 2016. The motion prevailed.

Chair Price laid before the committee HB 4791 – Zemke – Education; school districts; policy regulating social media interaction between students and employees; require school districts to adopt and implement.

Chair Price recognized Rep. Zemke to explain HB 4791.

Chair Price recognized Heather Kellstron representing Saline Area Schools who testified in support of HB 4791.

Chair Price recognized Mary Wever representing MSU-MAET who testified to a neutral position on HB 4791.

Chair Price laid before the committee the following 4 bill package.

HB 5156 – Lyons – Education; teachers; compliance with certain guidelines and standards regarding professional development requirements for teachers; require.

HB 5157 – Garcia – Education; employees; professional development for school administrators; require to meet certain guidelines and standards.

HB 5158 – Price – Education; teachers; assignment of new teachers to mentor teachers meeting certain requirements; require, and require professional development for new teachers to meet certain standards.

HB 5159 – Yonker – School Aid; penalties; certain continuing education requirements; provide penalty for noncompliance with.

Chair Price recognized Rep. Garcia and Rep. Yonker who explained the changes included in the substitutes for HB 5156, HB 5157, HB 5158 and HB 5159.

The following person filled out a testimony card in support of HB 5156, HB 5157, HB 5158, and HB 5159 but did not want to testify

Lindsay Huddleston representing Students First

The following people filled out testimony cards in support of HB 5156, HB 5157 and HB 5158 but did not want to testify.

Bob Kefgen representing the Michigan Association of Secondary School Principals
Paul Liabenow representing Michigan Elementary & Middle School Principals Association

The following people filled out testimony cards in opposition to HB 5159 but did not want to testify.

Bob Kefgen representing the Michigan Association of Secondary School Principals
Paul Liabenow representing Michigan Elementary & Middle School Principals

Rep. Lyons moved to adopt the substitute H-4 to HB 5156. The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, Lyons, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Rep. Zemke moved to amend HB 5156 H-4 as follows:

1. Amend page 2, line 12, after “**BE**” by striking out “**CONDUCTED DURING**” and inserting “**EMBEDDED THROUGHOUT**”.

The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, Lyons, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Rep. Lyons moved to report out HB 5156, as amended, as substitute H-5 with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, Lyons, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Rep. Garcia moved to adopt the substitute H-4 to HB 5157. The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, Lyons, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Rep. Garcia moved to report out HB 5157, substitute H-4 with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORBLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, Lyons, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Rep. Garcia moved to adopt the substitute H-3 to HB 5158. The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, Lyons, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Rep. Price moved to amend HB 5158 H-3 as follows:

1. Amend page 1, line 9, after “**EFFECTIVE**” by inserting “**ON AT LEAST 3 OF HIS OR HER MOST RECENT 5 ANNUAL EVALUATIONS**”.

The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, Lyons, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Rep. Garcia moved to report out HB 5158, as amended, as substitute H-4 with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, Lyons, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Rep. Yonker moved to adopt the substitute H-2 to HB 5159. The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, Lyons, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Rep. Yonker moved to report out HB 5159, substitute H-2 with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 11-6-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Lyons, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Tedder, Zemke, Santana,

Nays: Reps. Hooker, McBroom, Brinks, Schor, Chang, Greig,

Pass: None.

Chair Price laid before the committee the following 2 bill package.

HB 5193 – Garcia - Education; calendar; standards for granting certain waivers regarding school calendar; provide for.

HB 5194 – Garcia – Labor; collective bargaining; calendar and schedule for school year; make prohibited subjects of bargaining.

Chair Price recognized Rep. Garcia to explain HB 5193 and HB 5194.

The following people testified in support of HB 5193 and HB 5194.

Teresa Weatherall Neal, Superintendent Grand Rapids Public Schools
Tom Tenbrink, Superintendent Jenison Public Schools

The following people testified in opposition to HB 5193 and HB 5194.

Linda Freybletz representing Michigan Association of Conventions and Visitors Bureaus
Steve Yencich representing Michigan Lodging and Tourism Association

The following people filled out testimony cards in support of HB 5193 but did not want to testify.

Lisa Hansknecht representing Oakland Schools
Caroline Liethen representing the Michigan Department of Education

The following person filled out a testimony card stating a neutral position on HB 5193 but did not want to testify,

Brad Biladeau representing Michigan Association of School Administrators

The following person filled out a testimony card in opposition to HB 5193 but did not want to testify.

Wendy Black representing Michigan Chamber

The following person filled out a testimony card in support of HB 5194 but did not want to testify.

Brad Biladeau representing Michigan Association of School Administrators

With no further business to come before the committee Chair Price adjourned the meeting, the time being 10:30 a.m.

Representative Amanda Price, Chair

Mary Lou Terrien, Clerk